

72261 to 72387—Continued.

72359. No. 8759. Vicinity of Echo.
 72360. No. 8760. From near Fannewsuy.
 72361. No. 8761. From Uusiantsi.
 72362. No. 8764. From near Seitsiankou.
 72363. No. 8765. From the vicinity of Dunien.
 72364. No. 8767. From the vicinity of Tsitzkari.
 72365. No. 8768. From the vicinity of Tskr.
 72366. No. 8769. [No other data.]
 72367. No. 8770. From the vicinity of Sunviagarr.
 72368. No. 8771. From the vicinity of Chjatzsikan.

Numbers 72369 to 72387 were obtained through D. McLorn, Postal Commissioner, Harbin.

72369. No. 8898. From Taipingchen, Kirin Province.
 72370. No. 8905. From Shihtouhotze, Heilungkiang Province.
 72371. No. 8909. From Hunchun.
 72372. No. 8916. From Michiang.
 72373. No. 8920. From Poli, Kirin Province.
 72374. No. 8924. [No other data.]
 72375. No. 8929. From Tumentze, Kirin Province.
 72376. No. 8933. From Chunghochun, Heilungkiang Province.
 72377. No. 8940. From Chunghochen, Kirin Province.
 72378. No. 8944. From Hsiaoshantze, Kirin Province.
 72379. No. 8947. From Shihjenchengtze.
 72380. No. 8955. From Paochuanchen, Heilungkiang Province.
 72381. No. 8959. From Shuangho, Heilungkiang Province.
 72382. No. 8963. From Erkosshan, Heilungkiang Province.
 72383. No. 8967. From Kaochiatien, Kirin Province.
 72384. No. 8971. From Loanchen, Heilungkiang Province.
 72385. No. 8976. From Ssutaokou.
 72386. No. 8980. From Machiacho.
 72387. No. 8984. From Liangshiuehuanze, Kirin Province.

72388. CORYLUS COLURNA L. Betula-ceae. Turkish hazel.

From Paris, France. Seeds purchased from Vil-morin-Andrieux & Co. Received January 31, 1927.

The Turkish hazel is a vigorous, free-growing tree, up to 60 feet in height, with a stout trunk, more or less horizontal branches, heart-shaped, glossy green leaves 5 inches long, and small hard-shelled nuts inclosed in fleshy hairy green involucre.

For previous introduction see No. 51779.

72389 to 72393. BRASSICA OLERACEA CAPITATA L. Brassicaceae. Cabbage.

From Ukania, Russia. Seeds presented by the Poltova Experiment Station through J. W. Pincus, Amtorg Trading Corporation, New York, N. Y. Received February 1, 1927.

72389. No. 287. *Bulgarian*. A late variety.
 72390. No. 288. *Levetka*. A late variety.
 72391. No. 290. *Perfection*. An early variety.
 72392. No. 293. *Zavorakianskaja*. A late variety.
 72393. No. 1298. *Erfurt*. An early variety.

72394 to 72397.

From Catania, Sicily. Plants purchased from Giardino Allegra. Received February 9, 1927. Italian varieties.

- 72394 to 72396. *CORYLUS AVELLANA L. Betulaceae. Filbert*.
 72394. *d'Inghilterra*.
 72395. *Precoce de Frauendorf*.
 72396. *Principessa reale*.
 72397. *PRUNUS AVIUM L. Amygdalaceae. Sweet cherry*.

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72398 to 72423.

From Manchuria. Seeds obtained by P. H. Dorsett, agricultural explorer, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received January, 1927.

These seeds were collected by I. V. Kosloff, Manchurian Research Society, Harbin.

Numbers 72398 to 72400 are seeds collected in the forest concession of the Chinese Eastern Railway, in the vicinity of Shitoukhetsy.

72398. *ACANTHOPANAX SENTICOSUM (Rupr.) Harms. Araliaceae*.

No. 8719. A hardy, spiny shrub native to northern China, with large palmate leaves and umbels of black berries.

For previous introduction see No. 65907.

72399. *ACANTHOPANAX SESSILIFLORUM (Rupr. and Maxim.) Seem. Araliaceae*.

No. 8705. A hardy deciduous shrub 10 feet high, with three-lobed to five-lobed leaves, brownish flowers, and black berries.

For previous introduction see No. 65908.

- 72400 to 72402. *ACER* spp. *Aceraceae. Maple*.
 72400. *ACER BARBINERVE Maxim.*

No. 8701. A shrubby maple, native to Manchuria, with coarsely toothed five-lobed leaves.

For previous introduction see No. 65909.

72401. *ACER MANDSHURICUM Maxim.*

No. 8727. Slinkins forest concession. A hardy Manchurian maple which forms a shrub or small tree.

For previous introduction see No. 65480.

72402. *ACER PICTUM MONO (Maxim.) Pax.*

No. 8720. Collected in the forest concession of the Chinese Eastern Railway, in the vicinity of Shitoukhetsy. A hardy Manchurian tree up to 60 feet high, with leaves somewhat heart-shaped.